## Synopsis of Treatment Plan

## Overview

The treatment plan options for selenium discharges and conductivity discharges primarily employ engineering controls and bioreactor construction. The plan is divided into three phases. When Phase 1 treatment results in compliant discharges, Phase 2 and Phase 3 will not need to be implemented. The Plan focuses on underdrain flow emanating from the valley fill toe where concentrations of selenium and conductivity are generally highest in concentration. Also, segregating underdrain flow from surface flow will lessen the volume of water making treatment more manageable.

Internal monitoring will be implemented employing trend line analysis. This monitoring method will give early indication of the efficacy of treatment employed and allow modifications to be integrated early in the process. Lexington Coal Company LLC ("Lexington") will employ Lantz G. Rankin of Heritage Technical Associates Inc. ("Heritage") to oversee implementation of the treatment options (CV enclosed). Heritage has experience in treatment options and will prepare a monthly report, agreed to by Lexington detailing progress made, testing results obtained, next steps being taken, impediments encountered, and outline other relevant issues. This report will be provided to management to assure the treatment plan is being implemented expeditiously and is effective. When regulatory approval is required, Lexington will diligent pursue timely approval of treatment implementation plans. Heritage will provide management with a report summarizing progress and regulatory approval status.

A report will be filed with the Court on a monthly basis summarizing the status of treatment implementation at each outlet and monitoring results with trend line analysis. Additionally, the report will provide estimated labor and expenditures incurred to meet treatment measures taken. An updated Gannt chart will be an integral part of said monthly report submitted to the Court.

## **Phase 1 Treatment Plan**

Phase 1 will consist of pumping the valley fill underdrain flow to a retention structure built on the upper portion of the previously mined area. Where selenium is the relevant issue, a bioreactor will be employed. Where conductivity is the relevant issue, a holding pond will be constructed. Water from the valley fill under drain will be pumped to the holding pond. The water in the holding pond will be used for irrigation to facilitate success of the approved revegetation plan. Additionally, the water will be used as a dust suppressant and other irrigation needs dependent upon future land uses. During adequate precipitation events, retained water will be gravity fed into the receiving stream with the length of time and amount of flow released dependent upon duration and amount of the precipitation event. Monitoring will occur to assure the receiving stream is trending toward compliance with selenium discharges and

conductivity discharges. A chart will be developed that will be stream specific to determine the volume amount of the discharge release. The chart development will be based on volume and concentration of the parameter in the holding pond and the volume; concentration of the parameter of concern in the stream; and the volume of flow in the stream.

Phase 1 plan recognizes time and duration of water contact with mined strata impacts conductivity and selenium. By focusing on the high concentration of conductivity and selenium at the underdrain, the volume of water needing treatment is segregated and volume is reduced allowing treatment to be manageable. Also, use of retained water will facilitate reclamation, thereby reducing contact of rainwater from barren soil and rock. Discharging water into the receiving stream during rainfall events allows dilution to further reduce concentration.

NPDES Modification No. 12/WV1020579 has been submitted and approved in order to construct three bio-chemical reactors to treat elevated selenium levels. The bio-chemical reactors will be located within the existing permit boundary. Associated Revision 16 for Article 3 permit S-5015-01 has been submitted and approved for the bio-chemical reactors construction. (See Attachment A.)

The East Bio-Chemical Reactor System (East BCR) has been constructed near the back of Valley Fill No. 4. The East BCR will be activated on or before November 30th 2022 utilizing molasses powder as a nutritional boost. The East BCR will treat water from Pond No. 4 (Outlet 031). Water will be pumped from Pond No. 4 at a maximum pump rate of 1000 gpm through HDPE Pipe up to the BCR for treatment. The water will then be pumped and/or gravity fed through HDPE Pipe back to Outlet 031 and outleted into the receiving stream to replenish the stream with treated water. Instream Monitoring Outlet 031BR will be added under NPDES Modification No. 12 to monitor the BCR System performance. During initial startup of the BCR System water may need to be temporarily diverted to nearby on-bench Pond 31.1 due to the treated water's cloudiness. After the treated water cloudiness is gone treated water will be discharged at the various outlets by design.

The North Bio-Chemical Reactor System (North BCR) will be constructed at the back of Valley Fill No. 1. Construction will be initiated on or before September 30, 2022. Construction will be completed by November 30, 2022. The North BCR will treat water from Pond No. 1 (Outlet 005), Pond No. 6 (Outlet 012), Sediment Ditch 61, and Sediment Ditch 62 (Outlet 062). Water from Sediment Ditch 61 and 62 will be pumped from Outlet 062 at maximum pump rate of 40 gpm (0.02 cfs) through HDPE Pipe and discharge to groin ditch GR-6.6 of Valley Fill No. 1. This pumped water from Sediment Ditch 61 & 62 will flow down to Pond No. 1A and Pond No. 1 where it will be pumped to the North BCR for treatment. Water will be pumped from Pond No. 1 at a maximum pump rate of 1000 gpm and from Pond 6 at a maximum pump rate of 850 gpm through HDPE Pipe up to the BCR for treatment. The water will then be pumped and/or gravity fed through HDPE Pipe back to outlets 005 and 012 and outleted into the receiving stream to replenish the stream with treated water. Instream Monitoring Outlets 005BR and 012BR will be

added under NPDES Modification No. 12 to monitor the BCR System performance. During initial startup, molasses powder will be added to the BCR System and water may need to be temporarily diverted to nearby on-bench Pond 6.1 due to the treated water's cloudiness. After the treated water cloudiness is gone treated water will be discharged at the various outlets by design.

The South Bio-Chemical Reactor System (South BCR) will be constructed at the back of Valley Fill No. 2. Construction will be initiated on or before September 30, 2022. To complete final construction, a mixed organic media containing any or all of the following; hay, sawdust, woodchips, mushroom compost, limestone chips, and molasses powder, must be sourced. Sourcing organic material for the South Bio-Chemical Reactor System will be completed by December 30, 2022. The South BCR will treat water from Pond No. 2 (Outlet 047) and Pond No. (Outlet 045). Water will be pumped from Pond No. 2 at a maximum pump rate of 1300 gpm and from Pond 3 at a maximum pump rate of 1150 gpm through HDPE Pipe up to the BCR for treatment. The water will then be pumped and/or gravity fed through HDPE Pipe back to Outlet 047 and outleted into the receiving stream to replenish the stream with treated water.

Instream Monitoring Outlet 047BR will be added under NPDES Modification No. 12 to monitor the BCR System performance. During initial startup of the BCR System water may need to be temporarily diverted to nearby on-bench Pond 47.1 due to the treated water's cloudiness. After the treated water cloudiness is gone treated water will be discharged at the various outlets by design.

The bio-reactor systems will consist of an equalization basin, two or three parallel bio-reactors, one aeration pond, and one polishing pond. North BCR and East BCR will have two parallel bio-reactors while South BCR will have three parallel bio-reactors. Water will be collected and gravity fed or pumped from the various locations to the equalization basin, which will distribute the flow into the parallel bio-reactors with the treated water entering the aeration pond then polishing pond. From the polishing pond, the water will be diverted by pumping or gravity fed to the various outlets prior to discharging into the receiving stream.

During initial startup of the BCR Systems water may need to be temporarily diverted to nearby on-bench ponds due to the treated water's cloudiness. After the treated water cloudiness is gone treated water will be discharged at the various outlets by design. The bio-reactor systems will be lined with either 40 mil LLDPE or a Geosynthetic Clay Liner. See the detail drawings for the bio-reactor systems. (Attachment)

The BCR's are located on top the surface mine regrade as to prevent surface water runoff infiltration into them. The BCR's will also have a minimum 2 ft tall by 5 ft wide berm around each BCR component to prevent surface water runoff infiltration. Emergency spillways have been designed for the BCR systems. Spillways are designed based on

the total maximum pumping/gravity feed inflow combined with a 25 year 24 hour storm event from direct rainfall infiltration into the largest BCR System cell. A trapezoidal spillway having a 10ft crest length, 2:1 (H:V) side slope ratio, headwater elevation of 0.5 ft and 1 ft of freeboard with a maximum design discharge of 15.01 cfs was used.. Maintenance for the bio-reactor systems will occur as needed. Any material removed from the bio-reactor will be treated as material requiring special handling and will be placed in encapsulation cells as per existing permit requirements. The bio-reactor system will be abandoned when no longer needed.

The biochemical reactor cells have been designed in order to reduce the amount of selenium concentrations in the existing discharges mentioned above. The Biochemical Reactor Cells will consist of surface feed piping and bottom discharge piping to create a vertical (downward) and horizontal flow of water through the cell. The cell is lined to prevent migration of water into, or out of the cell. Cell components will consist of a gravel layer on the bottom that serves as a fixed bed attached growth media for microbial processes and a principle flow pathway.

The media layer consists of a mixed organic media containing any or all of the following; hay, sawdust, woodchips, mushroom compost, limestone chips, and molasses powder. The height of the water within the BCR is controlled by an outlet structure that allows for varying the height of water within the cell. Under normal operating conditions there will be no free standing water within the bio-reactor cells. The water level will be just below the top of the mixed media in the bio-reactor cell.

The BCR Systems should not affect the overall flow pattern of the surrounding area or the currently approved SWROA for the associated permit. During mining flow conditions should not be increased as a result of the BCR Systems being constructed. The BCR Systems will not alter the flow patterns in the current drainage areas to affect the sediment control structures. The BCR Systems are constructed high and dry to divert water around the BCR components.

Four instream monitoring sites will be added to determine the water quality from the BCR systems. These will be added once the corresponding BCR has been activated. The North BCR system will add monitoring site 005BR and 012BR; South BCR system will add 047BR; East BCR system will add 031BR. Outlet 061 has been closed off and the drainage from Sediment Ditch 61 has been directed toward Sediment Ditch 62 and Outlet 62.

At the Low Gap Surface Mine WV1016288 Outlets 002 (Pond #10), 024 (Pond #2), and 017 (Pond #1) has had noncompliant selenium discharges. To treat these flow from these three outlets, Lexington proposes to pump previously treated water from the Western Bio-Chemical Reactor (BCR) system at Premium Energy's No. 2 Surface Mine and treat selenium discharges at the following locations/outlets:

- Pond No. 2 (Outlet 024) and Pond No.10 (Outlet 002), both on this permit (Low Gap Surface Mine No. 2)
- Pond No. 2-88 on this (Low Gap Surface Mine No. 2) permit. Discharges from this pond containing the BCR water will flow via existing and bonded channels to Pond No. 1 (Outlet 017).
- Pond No. 4 (Outlet 019) on the Ben Creek No. 1 Surface Mine, permit S504988.
- The existing wet-seal on the Ridge Alma C Deep Mine U500498 (Outlet 059) will be gravity fed down to the existing road ditch on the Ben Creek No.1 Surface Mine S504988 from there it will flow into Pond No. 4 (Outlet 019).

This will necessitate the addition of BR outlets at 002, 017 019 and 024.

A Module 1R is included in the NPDES application proposing a modification to receive the drainage from Premium Energy, LLC Bio-Chemical Reactor at outlets 002, 017, 019, and 024.

The BCR discharge will be pumped through a proposed 10" HDPE line to a collection pond as shown on the attached Proposal and Drainage map. In-route to the collection pond, "tee's" will be installed that provide treated water to Pond No. 2-88 and to the road ditch that feeds into Pond No. 4. permit S504988 unpermitted surface area. The IBR application added this area to the permit. The area will be 600 feet by 25 feet wide, or 0.35 acres added.

## **Phase 2 Treatment Plan**

Phase 2 will be implemented only if Phase 1 implementation does not achieve compliant discharge. Evaluation will be performed to determine the efficacy of releasing flow from the retention structure built during Phase 1 by releasing water into a larger watershed with higher flow, greater dilution capacity and lower base flows of conductivity and selenium. This mixing zone will require regulatory approval.

Additionally, Lexington will evaluate underground injection potential into abandoned mines where outcrop barrier conditions and mine dip considerations are favorable.

## Phase 3 Treatment Plan

Phase 3 will be used if Phase 1 and Phase 2 implementation does not result in compliance requirements for Selenium and Conductivity. Phase 3 would employ diverting some mine area drainage away from the valley fill to on-bench outlets. Additionally compaction standards would be employed - 90% proctor- on the top two feet of the valley fill to reduce infiltration during precipitation events. Re-vegetation would be employed with a quick growth temporary ground cover as an interim measure while permanent vegetation is being established.

## **Summary**

The treatment plans proposed employing engineering controls that can be timely implemented and uses skills and equipment readily available to Lexington. Monitoring allows for trend line analyses that will indicate when to employ next steps. Cost Analysis Reporting confirms due diligence the company is taking to remediate current parameter exceedances. The attached Action Treatment Plan Summary is feasible and can timely be implemented to bring discharge into permit compliance.

NPDES Permit	Outlets	Treatment	Phase	Monitoring	Criteria Numeric	Construction Status	Rationale
Numbers  WV 1016288  and  WV 1020579	Any out of compliance outlets for selenium and/ or conductivity	The non- compliant water will be pumped to a retention pond and pumped from the retention pond for various uses at the mining site: irrigation for re- vegetation; dust suppression; etc.  Sites with bioreactors in place will maintain enough flow through the bioreactors to keep the bioreactors active.	Overall	Monitoring will be maintained according to the current monitoring required by the NPDES permit.  Internal Only Monitoring will be required when there is flow through said outlet.	The criteria for selenium will remain as listed in the permits. NPDES permits  8 mg/kg Fish tissue limit in NPDES permits. Internal monitoring only will test in the pond for the bioreactor prior to the discharge point and in each cell of the bioreactor.  EPA Guidance (April 1, 2010), suggested 300 microsiemens per centimeter (µS/cm) to protect aquatic life under "narrative" water quality standards.  The goal of the Internal Monitoring monitoring will utilize a sampling point in the middle of the receiving stream approximately 100 feet downstream from the discharge point. Internal monitoring will begin thirty days after intiation of under drain pumping at each outlet. Success criteria would be a trend line analysis using a rolling 12-month average of samples trending toward a 300 microsiemens per	Construction began immediately on structures not requiring approval of WVDEP or other regulators. Construction would begin immediately after required approval is received.  The following timeline for WV1016288 Outlets 002, 017, 019 and 024 and WV1020579 Outlets 005,012, 031, 045 and 047 are applicable to all plans utilizing underdrain pumping .  Applications for any necessary regulatory approvals will be begin immediately and applications will be no later than December 1, 2022. Locating a source for purchase of pumps will begin immediately. All pumps for pumping the fill underdrains will be purchased no later than January 31, 2023.  Construction of all ponds necessary for installation of the under drain pumps will be constructed no	Accepted engineering practices provides segregation of high concentrations of selenium and conductivity. Release of higher concentrations pollutants during precipitation events into receiving will provide dilution.

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		centimeter (µS/cm) with a	later than January 31, 2023.
		final goal of protecting the narrative water quality	2023.
		standard with a reduction in	The underdrain pumps
		ionic pollution. The BCR	will be activated
		-	immediately upon
		may need to be adjusted for	installation of the pups
		optimal performance on or before March 30, 2023. If	and the infrastructure
		final compliance cannot be	required such as pipes,
		met on or before June 2023.	retention ponds, etc, no
		If, after adjustment there is	later than January 31,
		more adjustment required,	2023.
		Phase 2 will be	
		implemented. Phase 2 will	The pumping system
		also be implemented if the	may need to be adjusted
		sample results are not	according to volume of
		trending for compliance for	flow or other factors. If
		3 monthly samples in a	required, this will be
		row.	performed no later than
		low.	March 30, 2023.
		Sampling would be done	Compliance with final
		monthly.	narrative water quality
		Hereinafter referred to in	standards will be
		this Plan as "General	achiever on or before
			September 1, 2023.
		Monitoring Criteria".	
			A Report will be made
			monthly on the status of
			construction of the
			pumping systems at each
			outlet included in this
			phase of the Plan.
			Construction status and
			timelines for specific
			outlets with BCRs are
			detailed within the chart.
			Hereinafter referred to in
			this Plan as "General
			Pumping Timeline".

WV 1016288	Outlet 19 and	1st Bioreactor	1	NPDES Bi- Monthly	See General Monitoring		Proven
WV 1016288	Outlet 19 and Outlet 59 Selenium and Conductivity The existing wet-seal on the Ridge Alma C Deep Mine U500498 (Outlet 059) will be gravity fed down to the existing road ditch on the Ben Creek No.1 Surface Mine S504988 and from there it will flow into Pond No. 4 (Outlet 019).	1st Bioreactor Water Management		NPDES Bi- Monthly monitoring as specified in the NPDES permit.  Internal Only Trendline Monitoring will utilize a 12- month rolling average The sampling will be at a location before the NPDES sampling point with additional samples at bioreactor entry and entry and exit to each cell if more than one cell per bioreactor constructed. Internal monitoring will begin for each BCR 30 days after activation for BCR	See General Monitoring Criteria.	The Biochemical Reactor System approved as a part of Permit WV1016288 Modification 28 associated with S-4013- 95 IBR 7 to treat water from Outlet No. 019 and Outlet 59 on WV 1016288 has been approved and Earthwork has been completed on or before September 6, 2022. Sourcing of a mixed organic media containing any or all of the following; hay, sawdust, woodchips, mushroom compost, limestone chips, and molasses powder, must be sourced on or before October 15, 2022. This BRC will be activated on or before December 15, 2022 to address selenium issues at Outlet 019 and Outlet 59.This BCR is designed to treat water from Pond 4 (Outlet 019) and the wet seal Ben Creek No.1 Surface Mine S504988 (Outlet 059). The water from Pond 4 will be pumped to this BCR, treated then returned via pumping/gravity flow to	Proven Technology – Bioreactors hav been constructed at many mining sites. WVDEP developed criteria for bioreactors in 2013. The West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection (DEI finds that these structures can be successful in reducing the concentrations of the pollutants for which they are designed." Permitting Guidance for Bioreactors Series 23 of the I&E Handbook

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					Pond 4 so that the
					hydraulics of the stream
					will remain the same.
					This BCR will be
					activated on or before
					December 15, 2022
					utilizing molasses
					powder in the medium as
					a nutritional boost to
					jump start the bioreactor
					process.
					Compliance with final
					selenium limits is
					expected no later than
					September 1, 2023.
					The Dept.
					The BCR treated water
					will be aerated and
					polished in a Pond to
					maintain compliance
					with downstream water
					quality monitored at
					Instream Monitoring
					Point 19BR.
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					In order to address
					conductivity, prior to
					pumping to this BCR the
					underdrain will be
					segregated and pumped
					to a retention pond.
					Earth work associated
					with the retention pond
					will be initiated on or
					before September 10,
					2022 and completed on
					or before January 31,
					2023.The water from the
					retention pond will be
					pumped to provide
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						irrigation for revegetation, dust suppression, etc. The pump would be sourced and activated on or before January 31, 2023 January 31, 2023.  Compliance with final narrative water quality standards will be achiever on or before September 1, 2023.  Additional monitoring at 31BR will be initiated for pH, DO, COD, BOU, TSS, NO-3, NO-2 NH3-N
WV 1016288	Outlet 17	Bioreactor	1	NPDES Bi- Monthly monitoring as specified in the NPDES permit.	See General Monitoring Criteria.	Biochemical Reactor System approved as a

Selenium and	Water		See General Monitoring	part of Permit
Conductivity	Management		Criteria.	WV1016288
e and decir, my		Internal Only Trendline		Modification 28
		Monitoring will utilize a	The criteria for selenium	associated with S-4013-
		12- month rolling	will remain as listed in the	95 IBR 7 to treat water
		average end of pipe with	permits. NPDES permits	from Outlet No. 017 on
		additional samples at	0 / 5:1 /: 1: '/	WV 1016288 has been
		bioreactor entry and	8 mg/kg Fish tissue limit in	approved. Earthwork
		entry and exit to each	NPDES permits. Internal	will completed on or
		cell if more than one cell	monitoring only will test	before October 30, 2022.
		per bioreactor	end of pipe for the bioreactor and in each cell	Sourcing of a mixed
		constructed.	of the bioreactor.	organic media containing
			of the bioreactor.	any or all of the
			EPA Guidance (April 1,	following; hay, sawdust,
			2010), suggested 300	woodchips, mushroom
			microsiemens per	compost, limestone
			centimeter (µS/cm) protect	chips, and molasses
			aquatic life under	powder, must be sourced
			"narrative" water quality	on or by December 15,
			standards.	2022. The This BRC
				will be activated on or
			The goal of the Internal	before January 31st 2023
			Monitoring will utilize a	to address selenium
			sampling point in the middle	issues at Outlet 017 This
			of the receiving stream	BCR is designed to treat
			approximately 100 feet	water from Pond
			downstream from the	1(Outlet 017). The water
			discharge point. Internal	from Pond 1will be
			monitoring will begin thirty	pumped to the this BCR,
			days after intiation of under	treated then returned via
			drain pumping at each	pumping/gravity flow to
			outlet. Success criteria	Pond 1 so that the
			would be a trend line	hydraulics of the stream
			analysis using a rolling 12-	will remain the same.
			month average of samples	Activation on January
			trending toward a 300	31st 2023 of this BCR
			microsiemens per	utilizing molasses
			centimeter (µS/cm) with a	powder in the medium as
			final goal of protecting the	a nutritional boost to
			narrative water quality	
			standard with a reduction in	

		ionic pollution. If final compliance cannot be met on or before September 2023. The BCR may need to be adjusted for optimal performance on or before March 30, 2023. If, after adjustment there is more adjustment required, Phase 2 will be implemented. Phase 2 will also be implemented if the samples are trending the wrong way for 3 monthly samples in a row.  Sampling would be done monthly	jump start the bioreactor process.  The BCR treated water will be aerated and polished in a Pond to maintain compliance with downstream water quality monitored at Instream Monitoring Point 17BR.  Compliance with final selenium limits is expected no later than September 1, 2023.  In order to address conductivity, prior to pumping to the BCR, the underdrain will be segregated and pumped to a retention pond.  Earth work associated with the retention pond will be initiated on or before October 31, 2022 and completed on or before January 31, 2023. The water from the retention pond will be pumped to provide irrigation for revegetation, dust suppression, etc. The pump would be sourced on or before December 10, 2022.  Compliance with final narrative water quality
			standards will be

				achiever on or before September 1, 2023.  Additional monitoring at 31BR will be initiated for pH, DO, COD, BOU, TSS, NO-3, NO-2 NH3-N
Outlet 24 and Outlet 002	Bioreactor Water Management		See General Monitoring Criteria	Biochemical Reactor System approved as a part of Permit WV1016288 Modification 28 associated with S-4013- 95 IBR 7 to treat water from Outlets No. 24 and 002 on WV 1016288 has been approved. Earthwork completed on or before September 6, 2022. Sourcing of a mixed organic media containing any or all of the following; hay, sawdust, woodchips, mushroom compost, limestone chips, and molasses powder, will be sourced on or by October 31, 2022. This BRC will be activated or before January 31, 2023 to address selenium issues at Outlet 024 and Outlet 002. This BCR is designed to treat water from Pond 2 (Outlet 024

				and Pond 10 (Outlet 002)
				The water from Ponds
				2and 10 will be pumped
				to the this BCR, treated
				then returned via
				pumping/gravity flow to
				Ponds 2 and 10 so that
				the hydraulics of the
				stream will remain the
				same. The this BRC
				will be activated on or
				before January 31, 2023
				utilizing molasses
				powder in the medium as
				a nutritional boost to
				jump start the bioreactor
				process.
				The BCR treated water
				will be aerated and
				polished in a Pond to
				maintain compliance
				with downstream water
				quality monitored at
				Instream Monitoring
				Points 24BR and BR002.
				1 Ullus 24DK alia DKUU2.
				Compliance with final
				selenium limits is
				expected no later than
				September 1, 2023.
				In order to address
				conductivity, prior to
				pumping to this BRS,
				the underdrain will be
				segregated and pumped
				to a retention pond.
				Earth work associated
				with the retention pond
				will be completed on or
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						before January 1, 2023. The water from the retention pond will be pumped to provide irrigation for revegetation, dust suppression, etc. The pump would be sourced on or before January 31, 2023.  Compliance with final narrative water quality standards will be achiever on or before September 1, 2023.  Additional monitoring at 31BR will be initiated for pH, DO, COD, BOU, TSS, NO-3, NO-2 NH3-N	
WV 1016288	Outlet 002, 017, 024,059, and019 060 Selenium Conductivity Water management (pumping) will address both selenium and conductivity. A BCR unit has been constructed for Outlet 19 in addition to	Utilizing a retention pond, Hold non-compliant water Release water in higher precipitation events	1	NPDES Bi- Monthly monitoring as specified in the NPDES permit.  Internal Only Trendline Monitoring will utilize a 12- month rolling average end of pipe sampling and sampling at a point approximately 100 feet downstream.	See General Monitoring Criteria.	See General Pumping Timeline.  Compliance with final narrative water quality standards will be achiever on or before September 1, 2023.	Dilution  If needed. If not needed Phase 2 won't be implemented.

	water management.						
WV 1016288	Outlet 002, 017, 024,059, 060, and 019 Selenium and Conductivity	Release retained pond water into mixing zone stream	2***	NPDES Bi- Monthly monitoring as specified in the NPDES permit.	See General Monitoring Criteria.	Internal Only Trendline Monitoring will utilize a 12- month rolling average pond samples with additional samples 100 feet below the discharge point.  Compliance with final narrative water quality standards will be achiever on or before September 1, 2023.	West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection allows Mixing Zones. See Water Quality Standards/ Mixing Zones Implemental Guidance
WV 1016288	Outlet 002, 017, 024,059, 060, and 019 Selenium and Conductivity	Release Retention pond water into mixing zone stream	2**	NPDES Bi- Monthly monitoring as specified in the NPDES permit.  Internal Only Trendline Monitoring will utilize a 12- month rolling average end of pipe sampling and sampling at a point approximately 100 feet downstream.	See General Monitoring Criteria.	Internal Only Trendline Monitoring will utilize a 12- month rolling average in-stream samples 100 feet below the discharge point.  Compliance with final narrative water quality standards will be achiever on or before September 1, 2023.	West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection allows Mixing Zones. See Water Quality Standards/ Mixing Zones Implemental Guidance
WV 1016288	Outlet 002, 017, 024,059, 060, and 019 Selenium and Conductivity	Diversion of surface water away from fill	3***	NPDES Bi- Monthly monitoring as specified in the NPDES permit.  Internal Only Trendline Monitoring will utilize a 12- month rolling average end of pipe	See General Monitoring Criteria.		Diverting surface water away from fill will reduce contact time.

WV 1016288	Outlet 002, 017, 024,059, 060, and 019 Selenium and Conductivity	Compaction Compact the top 2 foot fill layer to 90% proctor.	3***	sampling and sampling at a point approximately 100 feet downstream.  NPDES Bi- Monthly monitoring as specified in the NPDES permit.  Internal Only Trendline Monitoring will utilize a 12- month rolling average end of pipe sampling and sampling at a point approximately 100 feet downstream.	See General Monitoring Criteria.	Phase 3 will be considered if Phase 2's Trendline analysis is not a success	(If needed.)  Compaction of the top layer of material reduces infiltration of the fill.
WV 1016288  WV1016288	Outlet 002, 017, 024,059, and 019 060 Selenium Conductivity  Outlet 060	Underground Injection  Based on the Draft NPDES Permit	3***	NPDES Bi- Monthly monitoring as specified in the NPDES permit.  Sample water to be injected at the point of underground entry.	No surface flow to monitor because it should not discharge. If it discharges it will be monitored according to the NPDES permit.	Phase 3 will be considered if Phase 2's Trendline analysis is not a success	(If needed.)
WW.1020570	0.4.021	and current DMRs Outlet O60 is not a reportable Outlet. (See Attachment)		NDDEG D' M. dd			D
WV 1020579	Outlet031 Selenium and Conductivity Water management (pumping) will address both selenium and	Bioreactor Water management	1	NPDES Bi- Monthly monitoring as specified in the NPDES permit.  Internal Only Trendline Monitoring will utilize a 12- month rolling average end of pipe sampling and sampling	See General Monitoring Criteria.	The East Biochemical Reactor System modified and approved in Modification 12 associated with Revision 16 as a part of Permit WV 1020579 for Outlet No. 031. The East	Proven Technology Bioreactors have been constructed at many mining sites. WVDEP developed criteria for

conductivity. A	at a point approximately	Biochemical Reactor	bioreactors in
BCR unit has	100 feet downstream.	System ("East BRS")	2013."The West
been		has been constructed at	Virginia
constructed for		the back of Fill 4 and is	Department of
Outlet 31 in		designed to treat water	Environmental
addition to		from Pond 4 (Outlet 31).	Protection (DEP)
water			finds that these
management.		WVDEP approval has	structures can be
		been received and	successful in
		Earthwork has been	reducing the
		completed on or before	concentrations of
		September 6, 2022.	the pollutants for
		Sourcing of a mixed	which they are
		organic media containing	designed."
		any or all of the	Permitting
		following; hay, sawdust,	Guidance for
		woodchips, mushroom	Bioreactors
		compost, limestone	Series 23 of the
		chips, and molasses	I&E Handbook
		powder, will be sourced	
		on or by October 31,	
		2022. The East BRC will	
		be activated or before	
		November 31, 2023 to	
		address selenium issues	
		at Outlet 031. This BCR	
		is designed to treat water	
		from Pond 4 (Outlet	
		031)) The water from	
		Pond 4 will be pumped	
		to the East BCR,	
		treated then returned via	
		pumping/gravity flow to	
		Pond 4 so that the	
		hydraulics of the stream	
		will remain the same.	
		The East BRC will be	
		activated on or before	
		November 31, 2022	
		utilizing molasses	

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			powder in the medium as
			a nutritional boost to
			jump start the bioreactor
			process.
			The BCR treated water
			will be aerated and
			polished in a Pond to
			maintain compliance
			with downstream water
			quality monitored at
			Instream Monitoring
			Points 24BR and BR002.
			1 Onto 27DR and DROUZ.
			Compliance with final
			selenium limits is
			expected no later than
			September 1, 2023.
			In order to address
			conductivity, prior to
			pumping to the East
			BRC, the underdrain will
			be segregated and
			pumped to a retention
			pond. Earth work
			associated with the
			retention pond will be
			completed on or before
			December 31, 2022.The
			water from the retention
			pond will be pumped to
			provide irrigation for
			revegetation, dust
			suppression, etc. The
			pump would be sourced
			on or before January 31,
			2023.
			2023.
			Compliance with final
			narrative water quality
			standards will be
1			Standards will be

						achieved on or before September 1, 2023.  Additional monitoring at 31BR will be initiated for pH, DO, COD, BOU, TSS, NO-3, NO-2 NH3-N	
WV 1020579	Outlet 005 and Outlet 012  Selenium and Conductivity  Water management (pumping) will address both selenium and conductivity. A BCR unit has been permitted addition to water management.	Bioreactor  Water management NPDES Bi- Monthly monitoring as specified in the NPDES permit.  Internal Only Trendline Monitoring will utilize a 12- month rolling average end of pipe sampling and sampling at a point approximately 100 feet downstream.	1	NPDES Bi- Monthly monitoring as specified in the NPDES permit.  Internal Only Trendline Monitoring will utilize a 12- month rolling average end of pipe sampling and sampling at a point approximately 100 feet downstream.	See General Monitoring Criteria	The North Biochemical Reactor System modified and approved in Modification 12 associated with Revision 16 as a part of Permit WV 1020579 for Outlets No. 005 and 012 has been permitted before September 6, 2022 and will be activated upon completion to address selenium issues at Outlets No. 005 and 012 The North Biochemical Reactor System ("North BRS") is to be constructed behind Fill 1. Earthwork will be completed by October 31, 2022. Sourcing of a mixed organic media containing any or all of the following; hay, sawdust, woodchips, mushroom compost, limestone chips, and molasses powder, must be sourced on or by Novenber 30, 2022.	Proven Technology  Bioreactors have been constructed at many mining sites. WVDEP developed criteria for bioreactors in 2013."The West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) finds that these structures can be successful in reducing the concentrations of the pollutants for which they are designed." Permitting Guidance for Bioreactors Series 23 of the I&E Handbook

		This BCR will be
		activated or before
		December 31, 2022 to
		address selenium issues
		at Outlet 019 The North
		BCR is designed to treat
		water from Pond 1
		(Outlet 005) and Pond 6
		(Outlet 0012. The
		water from Ponds 1 and
		6 will be pumped to the
		North BRS treated then
		returned via
		pumping/gravity flow to
		Ponds 1 and 6 so that the
		hydraulics of the stream
		will remain the same.
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		The BCR treated water
		will be aerated and
		polished in Ponds 1 and
		6 to maintain compliance
		with downstream water
		quality monitored at
		Instream Monitoring
		Point 12BR and Instream
		Monitoring Point 005BR
		Compliance with final
		selenium limits is
		expected no later than
		September 1, 2023.
		In order to address
		conductivity, prior to
		pumping to the North
		BCR, the underdrain will
		be segregated and
		pumped to a retention
		pond. Earthwork
		associated with the

						retention pond will be completed January 31, 2023. The water from the retention pond will be pumped to provide irrigation for revegetation, dust suppression, etc.  Compliance with final narrative water quality standards will be achiever on or before September 1, 2023.  Additional monitoring at 005BR and 12BR will be initiated for pH, DO, COD, BOU, TSS, NO-3, NO-2 NH3-N	
WV 1020579	Outlets No. 045 and 047	Bioreactor Water management	1	NPDES Bi- Monthly monitoring as specified in the NPDES permit.  Internal Only Trendline Monitoring will utilize a 12- month rolling average end of pipe sampling and sampling at a point approximately 100 feet downstream.	See General Monitoring Criteria.	South Biochemical Reactor System, modified and approved in Modification 12 associated with Revision 16, as a part of Permit WV 1020579 for Outlet No. 045 and 047 has been approved by WVDEP before September 6, 2022. Earthwork will be initiated construction will be completed before October 30, 2022 to address selenium issues at Outlets 45 and 47. Sourcing of a mixed organic media containing	Proven Technology Bioreactors have been constructed at many mining sites. WVDEP developed criteria for bioreactors in 2013."The West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) finds that these structures can be successful in reducing the

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				any or all of the	concentrations of
				following; hay, sawdust,	the pollutants for
				woodchips, mushroom	which they are
				compost, limestone	designed."
				chips, and molasses	Permitting
				powder, must be sourced	Guidance for
				on or by December 31,	Bioreactors
				2022. This BRC will be	Series 23 of the
				activated or before	I&E Handbook
				January 31, 2023 to	
				address selenium issues	
				at Outlet 045 and Outlet	
				047. The South	
				Biochemical Reactor	
				System ("South BRS") is	
				to be constructed at the	
				back of Fill 2 and is	
				designed to treat water	
				from Pond 2 (Outlet 47)	
				and Pond 3 (Outlet 45).	
				The water from Ponds 2	
				and 3 will be pumped to	
				the South BRS, treated	
				then returned via	
				pumping/gravity flow to	
				Pond 2 and Pond 3 so	
				that the hydraulics of the	
				stream will remain the	
				same. utilizing molasses	
				powder in the medium as	
				a nutritional boost to	
				jump start the bioreactor	
				process.	
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				The bioreactors will	
				likely need an	
				adjustment to the system	
				for optimal performance.	
				Adjustments, if any will	

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			occur on or before
			March 31, 2023.
			Compliance with final
			selenium limits is
			expected no later than
			September 1, 2023.
			The BCR treated water
			will be aerated and
			polished in Ponds 1 and
			6 to maintain compliance
			with downstream water
			quality monitored at
			Instream Monitoring
			Point 47BR and Instream
			Monitoring Point 45BR
			In order to address
			conductivity, prior to
			pumping to the South
			BRS, the Valley Fill 2
			underdrain will be
			segregated and pumped
			to a retention pond. The
			water from the retention
			pond will be pumped to
			provide irrigation for
			revegetation, dust
			suppression, etc.
			Compliance with final
			narrative water quality
			standards will be
			achiever on or before
			September 1, 2023.
			Additional monitoring at
			31BR will be initiated
			for pH, DO, COD,
			BOU, TSS, NO-3, NO-2
			NH3-N

WV 1020579	Outlet 001, 012,045,047, and 031 Selenium and Conductivity	Utilizing a retention pond Hold noncompliant bioreactor water Utilize Retention structures to Hold water; Release water in precip. events.	2**	NPDES Bi- Monthly monitoring as specified in the NPDES permit.  Internal Only Trendline Monitoring will utilize a 12- month rolling average sinstream sampling approximately 100 feet downstream of the discharge point.	See General Monitoring Criteria.	See General Pumping Timeline.  Phase 2 will be implemented if Phase 1's Trendline analysis is not a deemed a success.	Closed System Dilution (If needed.)
WV 1020579	Outlet 001, 012,045,047, and 031 Selenium and Conductivity	Release Retention Pond water into mixing zone stream	3***	NPDES Bi- Monthly monitoring as specified in the NPDES permit.  Internal Only Trendline Monitoring will utilize a 12- month rolling average instream sampling at a point approximately 100 feet downstream. Of the discharge point.	See General Monitoring Criteria.	Phase 3 will be implemented if Phase 2's Trendline analysis is not a success.	EPA allows Mixing Zones. See A Compiliation of EPA's Mixing Zone Documents at https://www.goo gle.com/url?esrc =s&q=&rct=j&sa =U&url=https:// www.epa.gov/sit e
WV 1020579	Outlet 001, 012,045,047, and 031 Selenium and Conductivity conductivity	Pumping Valley fill underdrain water. Utilize retention structures to hold water; release water in higher	1	NPDES Bi- Monthly monitoring as specified in the NPDES permit.  Internal Only Trendline Monitoring will utilize a 12- month rolling average instream sampling at a point	See General Monitoring Criteria.	See General Pumping Timeline.  Modification requiring regulatory approval will be submitted to the proper authorities within	Dilution (If needed.)

		precipitation events		approximately 100 feet downstream. Of the discharge point.		90 days of acceptance of this Treatment plan.	
WV 1020579	Outlet 001, 012,045,047, and 031 Selenium and Conductivity	Release retained pond water into mixing zone stream	2**	NPDES Bi- Monthly monitoring as specified in the NPDES permit.  Internal Only Trendline Monitoring will utilize a 12- month rolling average instream sampling at a point approximately 100 feet downstream. Of the discharge point.	See General Monitoring Criteria.	Phase 2 will be implemented if Phase 1's Trendline analysis is not a success.	See A Compilation of EPA's Mixing Zone Documents at https://www.goo gle.com/url?esrc =s&q=&rct=j&sa =U&url=https:// www.epa.gov/sit e
WV 1020579	Outlet 001, 012,045,047, and 031 Selenium and Conductivity	Diversion of surface water away from fill	3***	NPDES Bi- Monthly monitoring as specified in the NPDES permit.  Internal Only Trendline Monitoring will utilize a 12- month rolling monthly average instream sampling at a point approximately 100 feet downstream of the discharge point.	See General Monitoring Criteria.	Phase 3 will be implemented if Phase 2's Trendline analysis is not a success.	(If needed.)
WV 1020579	Outlet 001, 012,045,047, and 031 Selenium and	Compact the top 2 foot fill layer to 90% proctor.	3***	NPDES Bi- Monthly monitoring as specified in the NPDES permit.	See General Monitoring Criteria.	Phase 3 will be implemented if Phase 2's Trendline analysis is not a success.	(If needed.)

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	Conductivity			Internal Only Trendline Monitoring will utilize a 12- month rolling monthly average instream sampling at a point approximately 100 feet downstream. of the discharge point.			
WV 1020579	Outlet 001, 012,045,047, and 031 Selenium and Conductivity	Underground injection	3***	NPDES Bi- Monthly monitoring as specified in the NPDES permit.  Sample water to be injected at the point of underground entry.	There should be no surface flow to monitor because it should not exit if it will be monitored according to the NPDES permit.	Phase 3 will be considered if Phase 2's Trendline analysis is not a success.	(If needed.)

Interim limits will be added to each system within three months of the applicable system being constructed and activated. The trendline analysis is projected show a trend toward compliance within 6 months of sampling. A Detailed Sampling Report will be submitted to the court in the Monthly Report. The Detailed Sampling Report will contain Locations of sampling points, projections for sampling results, dates and results of actual samples.

 $<sup>* \</sup>underline{\text{https://www.powermag.com/stream-conductivity-its-not-just-a-mining-issue/}}\\$ 

<sup>\*\*</sup>Phase 2 will be implemented if Phase 1's Trendline analysis is not a success.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Phase 3 will be implemented if Phase 2's Trendline analysis is not a success.

# AFFIDAVIT OF KERMIT E. FINCHAM Jr. P.E. P. S. VICE PRESIDENT OF ENGINEERING, LEXINGTON COAL COMPANY, LLC

Affiant, Kermit E. **Fincham Jr.** P.E. P. S. Vice President Of Engineering, Lexington Coal Company, LLC on behalf of Lexington Coal Company, LLC ("Lexington") and in support of its Compliance with Court's Memorandum Opinion and Order dated May 18, 2022 (the "Court's Order"), and the attached treatment plan provides as follows::

- 1. I am employed with Lexington as its Vice President of Engineering.
- I am a licensed Professional Engineer and a licensed Professional Surveyor in the State of West Virginia.
- 3. I have over twenty-five (25) years of experience working with water treatment technologies and over ten(10) years experience specifically related to selenium discharges.
- 4. I am knowledgeable about selenium issues and treatment.
- 5. I am knowledgeable about conductivity issues and treatment.
- 6. As such, I am authorized and qualified to provide this Affidavit and I have personal knowledge of the facts contained therein.
- 7. With regard to Item 2 of the Court's Order: Achieve compliance no later than a year from the date of the plan's submission I provide that compliance with selenium limits no later than a year from the date of the plan submission. To a reasonable degree of professional certainty, I provide that compliance with selenium limits will be achieved by September 1, 2023 through the installation of the Biochemical Reactor System.
- 8. With regard to Item 3 of the Court's Order: Achieve compliance with West Virginia ionic pollution standards as soon as possible. To a reasonable degree of professional certainty, I provide that compliance with West Virginia ionic pollution standards will be achieved as soon as practicable in my professional judgment as well as through the use of various third-party environmental consultant.

- 9. With regard to Item 4 of the Court's Order: Include specific and enforceable interm milestones no longer than one year apart. Please review the GANNT chart that I reviewed and approved.
- 10. This Affidavit provides that to the best of my professional judgment compliance with the WVDEP approved selenium limits will be obtained within one year and ionic pollution restrictions will be met as soon as outlined in this Report.
- 11. I have had engineering oversight for systems construction and successful implementation involving two separate operations in the Appalachian region locatd in Boone County, West Virginia. Although due to my professional responsibility, the names of these sites must remain confidential, I personally worked as the professional engineer for over 25 years and I have implemented and overseen two such locations.
- 12. I helped create GANNT chart that is part of this Affidavit. Lexington shall submit monthly reports to both this Court and to the Plaintiffs describing its process and the plan moving forward.
- 13. Further the Affiant sayeth naught.

KERMIT E. FINCHAM Jr. P.E. P. S.

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## Heritage Technical Associates, Inc. – Company Overview

## Company History, 1996 to present:

Heritage Technical Associates, Inc, ("HTA") began in 1996 as a small surveying and environmental consulting company working. Today, having survived and endured economic and regulatory threats to the coal industry, HTA continues to survive and thrive in Southern West Virginia. Benefitting from unmerited favor and blessings, the twelve employees of HTA strive to provide quality support services to coal and other economic endeavors in Southern West Virginia. While boundary surveying remains a small but valuable component of the services offered by HTA, environmental permitting is the main service provided by HTA. The following are recent project types prepared for various clients throughout Southern West Virginia:

- CWA 401 Stream impact authorizations (WVDEP)
- CWA 402 (WVNPDES) water discharge permits (WVDEP)
- CWA 404 Dredge and fill authorizations and associated Compensatory Mitigation Plans (Army Corps of Engineers)
- Army Corp of Engineers Stream Delineations
- SMCRA (Article 3) coal mine and reclamation permits
- Surveying to support mining and construction projects including mine face-ups, mine haulroads, WVDOH road construction, route surveys, highwall mining support, stockpile surveys, and other projects using conventional and drone techniques
- Macroinvertebrate studies
- Selenium treatment utilizing bioreactors
- Development and execution of stream restoration, enhancement, and establishment plans
- WVDEP (Article 4) quarry permits
- WVDEP AML no cost reclamation agreements

## Lantz G. Rankin - Curriculum Vitae / CV

## Career History, 1996 to present:

President and owner of Heritage Technical Associates, Inc. (formerly Heritage Surveying and Mapping, Inc.). Heritage Technical Associates, Inc. provides support to the private sector by assisting in obtaining the necessary environmental permits and authorizations needed to successfully operate in an environmentally sound manner. Services provided include surface modeling to determine effective mining ratios; navigating the regulatory requirements; executing plans for successful permitting, mining, and reclamation of surface and deep mines and reprocessing of abandoned refuse facilities; permit management and maintenance; and liaison with regulatory agencies (WVDEP, OSM, AML, WVNDPES, WVOWR, WVOWR, USFWS, WVSHPO) Services provided include boundary retracements and mapping support. Services provided for mining, gas, quarrying, industrial development and housing projects.

#### 1995 to 1996

Senior Environmental Engineer – Guyandotte Consultants, Inc., Logan, WV. Responsible for regulatory oversight of several mining operations in Logan, Mingo and Wayne Counties of WV.

#### 1993 to 1995

Environmental/Surface Mine Engineer - Heartland Coal, Harts, WV.

Responsible for environmental compliance for a surface mine operation.

#### 1989 to 1993

Advance Surveying and Mapping, Inc. – Logan, WV. Provided surveying and permitting services for coal mine projects as well as boundary retracements for various sized projects including procurement of surface and mineral in advance of a surface mine operation.

## Career Experience Relative to the WV Department of Environmental Protection

- Heritage Technical Associates, Inc. provides services to assist the private sector in its dealings with the West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection ("WVDEP") and United States Army Corps of Engineers ("USACE") including:
  - WVNPDES Stormwater permits (both > and < 3 acres)</li>
  - WVOWR Individual Industrial Permits
  - WVNPDES Mining permits
  - O Surface Mine Applications (Including both surface and deep mines)
  - Permit Revision Applications
  - Incidental Boundary Revision Applications
  - o Permit Amendment Applications
  - Surface Mine Planning and Phasing
  - Drainage Structure Certification
  - Permit Release Applications
  - Planting and Reclamation Plans
  - Selenium treatment using bioreactors and water control structures
  - O Preparation of CWA 404 and 401 certification applications
  - O Delineation of waters under jurisdiction of the US
  - O Preparation of USACE Compensatory Mitigation Plans
  - O Stream Restoration Projects
  - Stream Creation Projects
  - Phase I Environmental Assessments

## Career Experience Relative to Boundaries and Retracements

- Heritage Technical Associates, Inc. provides services assisting the private sector in retracements of boundaries and the establishment of flood elevations including:
  - Rural boundary retracements
  - o Subdivisions
  - City lots
  - Topographic mapping
  - Global Positioning System surveys
  - Reports of Survey

## **On-going or Recently Completed Projects**

- Heritage Technical Associates, Inc. provides services to assist clients in site construction and reclamation including the below on-going or recently completed project:
  - Ben's Creek Operations WV, LLC Planning and permitting for a large surface mine in southern West Virginia
  - Prime Mct, Inc. Planning and permitting of two large surface mines in southern West Virginia
  - JMAC Leasing, Inc. Planning and permitting of a large surface mine in southern West Virginia including the consideration of avoidance of selenium associated with adjacent surface mines of others and other ongoing selenium treatment using bioreactors and drainage control structures
  - Cline Group Reclamation of two mine sites in WV and OH, including two preparation plant sites, two refuse facilities, two mine face-ups/slope, building removal, >2.5 miles of overland conveyor, multiple bore hole injection and pumping site, and a large water treatment facility

- Barnette Development, Inc. The Appalachian Outpost Assist in permitting and construction of an ATV resort facility to serve the Hatfield McCoy Trail System including 35 cabins and supporting infrastructure
- Devils Backbone Adventure Resort Assist in permitting and construction of an ATV resort facility to serve the Hatfield McCoy Trail System including 44 cabins and 51 RV sites.

## Professional and Educational Experience

- Professional Surveyor, Licensed in WV (Surface and Underground) and Kentucky; formerly licensed in Alabama
- Associates of Science, Southern West Virginia Community and Technical College
- Past Instructor for the Surveying Program at Southern West Virginia Community and Technical College, Logan, WV
- Member of the Exam Writing Committee of the WV Board of Examiners of Professional Surveyors
- Member of WV Board of Examiners of Professional Surveyors; Chair of the Complaint Investigation Group
- Past President of WV Society of Professional Surveyors
- Advisory Board for Drafting Program, Boone Career and Technical Center, Danville, WV
- Testified in past as expert witness
- Undergraduate Concord College, Athens, WV
- Member of West Virginia Land and Mineral Owners Association's Coal Committee

## **Expert Witness Case History**

- Harrison County Freeport v. Harrison County Coal
- Mingo County, WV Cook v Cisco
- Logan County, WV EQT v. Fountain Place
- Lincoln County, WV (Boundary dispute, name not recalled)
- Kanawha County, WV OVEC v. Massey Energy
- Lincoln County, WV Williamson v. Kruk, ROW dispute

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